





Thursday Morning, July 8, 1869.

THE United States Government has invoked a Frankenstein in the Alabama claims, and would doubtless be very willing to get rid of the subject if it were possible to relegate it to Hades with anything like decency. Our eastern brethren are bestirring themselves on the subject of their expenses and losses incurred in the Fenian raid, and they certainly make out a case fully as good as the Alabama claims. The raiders were recruited, drilled, and armed in the United States; they did not conceal their intentions; indeed the public prints heralded their march and applauded their designs. A pretended effort was made to restrain them, but done so bunglingly that only a portion of the rascals were prevented from reaching the Canadian shore. The attempts of the United States officers to prevent an infraction of the neutrality law was something similar in a later case: we allude to the Cuban raid, when Col. Jordan was taken into custody and then allowed to escape, taking an armed body of men with him to plunder and desolate the province of a country at peace with the United States. The raiders into Canada had no injustice to complain of at the hands of the Canadians; they were perfectly uninterested in Irish grievances, the pretence assumed for the attack. How ever much Great Britain had offended in inflicting wrongs upon Ireland, there was no possible argument that could be adduced making the inoffensive settlers in Canada responsible. That these claims will have to be paid, the Government of the United States may rest perfectly sure; when, it may be difficult to say. But these are but a portion of the account. The Rebellion of 1837 was fomented and assisted not only with material of war, but with men, from the United States. The cost of that unfortunate affair would cover the entire Alabama claims alone. Sir Francis Head is busily preparing the bill, and it will be quite ready when the Alabama claims are next brought on the tapis. We have not, however, concluded our list, for it seems that the Confederate Bondholders in London have also a pretty heavy account which they desire to have settled at Uncle Sam's earliest convenience, that gentleman having appropriated a great deal of property which he was carefully informed was hypothecated. In order to make this lengthy account a little more awkward to settle, the Canadian Government is roused into a desire to fix up other little difficulties which they are deeply interested in. They want the San Juan Island question settled, and that they will undoubtedly accomplish; and they want American fishermen to keep to their own part of the coast, and this will also be settled as Canada requires. Verily Mr. Sumner has raised a pretty dust. It is quite immaterial how much Mr. Sumner may claim for his account, a proportionate increase can always be added to the others. It seems to us that the best thing our American cousins can do, will be to say nothing more about Alabama claims and cry quits. It is quite likely that John Bull may wait a reasonable time for the renewal of proposals about the Alabama claims, and failing any advances on the part of the Washington Government, may send in his own account. For the sake of peace and quietness the old gentleman has put up with an awful sight of abuse and insult, and even allowed himself to be diddled in certain treaties; but the Alabama claims as presented by Mr. Sumner have quite exhausted the old gentleman's patience, and having made up his mind, we may rest assured he will have things a little his own way in future.

#### The New York Chamber of Commerce and Reciprocity.

The Telegraph has furnished an abstract of a resolution introduced into and passed by the New York Chamber of Commerce upon the subject of Reciprocity with Canada. Yesterday we received the full text of the resolution, and in order that its importance may be grasped, we give it entire below. One of the principal, among many boons to be gained by Confederation will be Reciprocity; and should the New York Chamber of Commerce exert the influence at Washington their position and wealth entitle them to, who knows but the resolution will have the desired effect?

"Resolved, That the Chamber of Commerce of New York city heartily endorses the resolution of the Committee of Ways and Means which unanimously passed the House of Representatives of the United States on the 23rd

March, 1869, recommending the President of the United States to renew negotiations with the Government of Great Britain, and press them, if possible, to a definite conclusion for the arrangement of reciprocal trade with Canada, and securing to our citizens the freedom of the River St. Lawrence and the freedom of the inshore fisheries of the coast of British North America." Gen. Walbridge, in a lengthy speech, said, while opposing any measures looking to the acquisition of Canada by force, he would welcome its people when they were willing to link their political fortunes with the United States. He did not believe it good policy to attempt to coerce Canada, by commercial restrictions, into a union with the United States. Intimate commercial relations should be brought about upon terms mutually beneficial, and the political result will follow in good time. Gen. Walbridge stated the questions between the United States and the Provinces as: first, an interchange of the natural products of the soil upon such reciprocal terms as may be agreed on; second, an assimilation of excise duties, and of patent and copyright laws; third, free navigation of the River St. Lawrence and the enlargement of its canals; fourth, freedom of the inshore fisheries of the coast of British America; fifth, the regulation of the trans-Atlantic trade. He then proceeded to argue in favor of the resolutions and propositions above advanced, contending that while the Canadians will be satisfied with the convenience of selling in our markets in return for the enlargement of the St. Lawrence canals by them, free of cost, to the United States, and the freedom of the St. Lawrence and the fisheries, yet that the convenience of our markets to them will be really no competition to our farmers, and absolute benefit to our merchants, our capital and credit together. The fact that we have free access to the ocean at all seasons of the year, would be of great convenience to the Canadians, but their use also necessarily implies, that in using our capital, our credit and our ports, we desire the advantages that a capital and credit and ports give to a community; in other words, we become the merchants of four million people whom we are now driving away. The resolution was adopted, and it was voted that a copy of the argument be transmitted to the Secretary of State, who, it is understood, is about to take into consideration the proposition advocated by Gen. Walbridge.

The Prince Edward Island papers recognize, in the pacification of Nova Scotia, the absorption of Newfoundland, and the indifference of the Imperial Government to the wants of the Island, a foreshadowing of their destiny: "Is it not high time for us to set our house in order, since a certain dreaded event is now at our very doors? With Nova Scotia pacified and Newfoundland on the eve of being considered, how, we would like to be informed, can P. E. Island expect to maintain her political isolation? With the policy of the Home Government set in array against us, with strange and unprecedented movements going on around us, which are evidently destined, at no remote period, to have their counterpart throughout the whole extent of Britain's vast Colonial Empire, it were sheer infatuation to dream of the possibility of abiding much longer where and what we are." With Prince Edward Island in line, there will be needed only the admission of British Columbia to complete the chain of Provinces extending from ocean to ocean.

THE HAIR—Is it possible for the hair to turn white in the course of a single night? asks the *Globe*. Such a change is asserted to have taken place in several cases which the reader of history will call to mind. But science has always thrown a doubt over the truth of the statement. Recently, however, one of the most eminent physiologists of the day has expressed his belief that such a change is possible. M. Brown-Séquard has made observations on his own beard. In 1862, being in his usual health, he noticed a few white hairs in his beard, and plucked them out, wishing to see whether others would come. He had not long to wait. In a few days he observed several more, and by continued observation made out that the change of colour began near the roots and always took place, as far as he could observe, during the night. It took from two to five days for a hair to whiten through out its entire length; but the author expresses his belief that it is possible for black hairs to change to white in less than a night: so historians need no longer hesitate to affirm that such a change did really happen in the case of Mary Queen of Scots.

HABITUAL drunkards in Illinois, by a recent Act of the Legislature are hereafter to be subjected to a very stringent course of treatment. They are classified with indigent, idiotic, and insane persons, and are to be placed under the care of guardians or of the overseers of the poor. A similar provision exists in Pennsylvania, but the regulations are more strict in Illinois, since in the latter State when a person has once been declared an habitual drunkard, the guardianship must continue over him for an entire year.

Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Chills and Fever, and Fever and Ague are all speedily cured and permanently banished from the system by the use, as directed, of Bristol's Sarsaparilla and Pills. The hardest Ague Case quickly disappears under their healing influence.

## To the Public.

PARIS CARTER CAN BE FOUND AT the office of Mr. FRANKLIN, Auctioneer, Yates & Co., and will carefully and promptly attend to all matters relating to him, such as carriage and delivery of Letters, Parcels, etc., or taking charge of property or places of business.

29, Residence—PANDORA ST., near St. Louis College, 13th Floor.

First Victoria Directory, 1859.

ADVERTISEMENTS INTENDED FOR this Publication will be received at the Colonist Office, any until the 12th inst.

Notice. FROM THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER notice, the Steamer

LILLOET

EW WESTMINSTER FOR YALE EVERY SATURDAY ONLY, Returning the TUESDAY following, carrying BARNARD'S

New Westminster, July 31, 1869

N. B. The above Steamers will not be responsible for Leakage of Liquids shipped in Tins or Glass.

LOST AN ENGINE RETRIEVER dog, black, with a collar, and a tag with the name "HELO." Whoever will take him to Mr. WIL LAMS, at the R. N. Club, Esplanade, shall be rewarded.

GRELLEY & FITERRE, IMPORTERS, And Wholesale Dealers

IN FINE ENGLISH, FRENCH, AND AMERICAN LIQUORS,

Champagnes, Cognacs, Clarets and Whiskies,

In the STONE BUILDING, opposite the "Royal Hotel," 4th street, Victoria, Vancouver Island.

AGENTS FOR Napoleon's Cabinet and Bouche Champagne, Hostetter's Bitters, Boker's Bitters, Sansevain's California Wines and Bitters, Bancroft Cider

A LARGE STOCK OF Bonded Wines, Brandies Ale and Porter

ALWAYS ON HAND. FRANKLYN RESTAURANT,

Cor. Government and Cormorant Streets, Victoria, V. I.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS LEASED the above premises and having thoroughly refitted them, is prepared to supply boarders with the best market can afford. Meals at all hours during the day.

Phenix Fire Assurance COMPANY. LOMBARD STREET AND CHANCERY CROSS, LONDON. Established 1782.

For Insuring every kind of Property in all parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY WITH WHICH the engagements are all complied by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid no less than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for losses by Fire.

The security offered to the public by the Phenix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors, composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom. Annual and short time insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.

From cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London. Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had in application to

THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent, Government Street, Opposite Masonic Hall.

MR. E. MALLANDAINÉ ARCHITECT

GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR BRIGHTON ST.

MORE THAN 200,000 Persons Bear testimony to the Wonderful Curative Effects of

Dr. Joseph Walker's

These Bitters are not a colored pill to delude the eye, please the fancy, but a medical preparation, composed of the best vegetable ingredients known.

CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS. Manufactured from the native Herbs and Roots of California.

33, The Great Blood Purifier. FOR INFLAMMATORY AND CHRONIC RHEUMATISM AND GOUT, DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION, BILIOUS REMITTENT AND INTERMITTENT FEVERS, DEBASED OF THE BLOOD, LIVER, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER, these Bitters have been found successful. Such Diseases are caused by VITIALIZED BLOOD, which is generally produced by derangement of the digestive organs.

Cleanse the vitiated Blood, whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul, and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood healthy and all will be well.

AGENTS. R. H. McDONALD & CO. IMPORTING WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,

Corner Pine and Sansone Streets, San Francisco, 585 1/2

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY TO INFORM the Friends and the Public that he has taken the GROCERY STORE lately occupied by Mr. Pollock, at the corner of BROAD and PANDORA Street, where he hopes by strict attention to Business to have a share of the public patronage.

By order of the Court of Directors, Bank of British North America, London, May 11, 1869.

R. W. BRADFORD, pro Secretary.

COLONIAL HOTEL AND RESTAURANT, Government Street, Victoria, V. I.

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## OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE.

WILSON'S

Large Stock of

SUMMER CLOTHING,

NEEDS LITTLE ADVERTISING,

on inspection it is found to combine

All the Newest Styles and Patterns

WITH GOOD QUALITY &amp; LOW PRICES!

## Schedule B.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Colony of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the quarter from 31st March, 1869, to 30th June, 1869.

LIABILITIES.	AM'T.	TOTAL.	ASSETS.	AM'T.	TOTAL.
Notes in circulation, not bearing interest.....	\$134,580 00		Legal Tender Coin, in Gold and Silver.....	\$206,978 00	
Notes in circulation, bearing interest.....	23,600 00		Gold and Silver, in Bullion.....	23,600 00	
Bills in circulation, bearing interest.....	27,725 00		Landed and other Property.....	27,725 00	
Notes and Bills of other Banks.....	20,501 00		Notes and Bills of other Banks.....	1,503 00	
Deposits, not bearing interest.....	\$17,743 00		Deposits from other Banks and Branches.....	286,948 00	
Deposits, bearing interest.....	184,002 00		Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches.....	\$171,184 00	

Total amount of liabilities.....\$655,916 00  
Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th of June, 1869.....\$45,000,000 00  
Balance of the last Dividend declared to the shareholders.....\$7,225 00  
Amount of the last Dividend declared.....\$200,000 00  
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such dividend.....735,806 00

Signed ROBERT BURRELL, Interim Manager.  
J. GOODFELLOW, Acting Accountant.

Victoria, B. C., 30th June, 1869.  
I, Robert Burrell, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of the above Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

Declared before me at Victoria, this 31st day of July, 1869.  
A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

A. B. GRAY,

Government Street.

Has received by last Steamer a choice and complete assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, comprising,

New SUMMER Goods

Black and Fancy Silks, Irish Poplins, French Merinoes, Fancy Dress Goods, Abyssinian Cloths, Glace and Alpaca Lustres, Spanish and Pusher Shawls, Paisley and Rich Broche Shawls, Silk Jackets and Mantles, Prints and Gingham, Parasols and Sunshades, Gloves and Hosiery, Ladies' Underclothing, Children's ditto, Hats, Trimmings, &c.

New Goods received monthly overland, direct from the best European markets.

ACCOUNT showing the whole amount of the DEBTS and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, at the close of the year 1868; and showing also the amount of NOTES payable on Demand, which had been in circulation during every Month of that Year; together with the amount of SPECIE and other ASSETS, distinguishing each Kind, immediately available in every such Month, for the discharge of such Notes.

DEBTS	Sterling	s. d.	ASSETS	Sterling	s. d.
Circulation.....	£28,726	10 6	Specie.....	£343,817	10 6
Other Liabilities.....	2,014,565	10 8	Other Assets.....	3,076,635	19 6
	£2,343,292	3 2		£3,420,435	10 0

1868.	Notes in Circulation.	Specie.	Notes on other Banks.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January.....	1,390,775	2,106,771	113,364
February.....	1,381,857	1,717,150	109,437
March.....	1,332,444	1,653,611	120,021
April.....	1,212,270	1,675,293	93,477
May.....	1,123,205	1,602,510	218,057
June.....	1,119,465	1,605,233	128,406
July.....	1,126,433	2,204,233	128,184
August.....	1,126,433	2,158,382	124,300
September.....	1,121,888	1,739,982	102,201
October.....	1,132,701	1,393,135	139,970
November.....	1,136,507	1,617,066	110,327
December.....	1,210,882	1,333,254	106,450

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WM. DALBY,

YATES STREET,

HAS RECEIVED FROM ENGLAND

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

LADIES' and GENTS' Riding Bridles, Whips

Spurs, &c.

And would respectfully call the attention of the inhabitants of this Colony to the fact that he has taken a look at his Goods, as he is confident he can sell a better article for less money than any other house in the City. He will not be undersold.

Ladies' Riding Bridles from	\$2 50 upwards
Gents' " " "	2 00 "
A Good Saddle Bridle	1 75 "
Racing Riding Martingales	2 00 "
Racing Spurs	1 25 "
Hunting do	1 25 "
A Good Spur	50 "
Malacca Hunting Whips	2 00 "
Gut do Plated & Brass Hooks	3 00 "
2 & 4 Horsewhip Lashes	50 "
Buggy Whips	1 50 "
Riding Whips	25 "
Leather Back Horse Brushes	2 00 "
Wooden	1 00 "

—ALSO—

Concord Team Harness, plated hames	\$55 00
do do plain hames	45 00
Short Fly Double Harness	32 00
Single Buggy do from	25 00
Double Buggy Harness, round traces	75 00
Mexican Saddles	20 00
English do hog skin seat and skirts	20 00

Concord Collars, from \$3 to \$5

Concord Harness, Hook do, Clip do, Mexican Saddle Trees, Wooden Stirrups, Sashes, Girths, Halters and Halter Chains, Dog Collars and Chains, Hickory Whip Stalks, Best Wholesome Whip Stalks, Roller, Girth, Rein and Halter Web, Buckles, plated, tinned and japanned, Saddlers' Silk, Mane and Curry Combs, Cards, etc., etc.

HARNESS LEATHER, APERAJOS, BRIDLES, LEATHERS, &c.

TRUNKS, VALISES, Etc.

Ladies' and Gents' Sole Leather Trunks made to order.

In fact if you want anything in my line give me a call.

Parties in the Trade supplied at a Liberal Discount.

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(Established under the "Savings Banks Ordinance, 1869.")

The BANK receives DEPOSITS varying from ONE QUARTER OF ONE DOLLAR to ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS Repayable on ONE WEEK'S NOTICE.

The present rate of INTEREST allowed to depositors is 5 per cent per annum, (the fractional parts of dollar and months not being computed.)

At the end of each Year, the accruing Interest is added to, and becomes part of the principal, (provided principal and interest do not exceed \$1000.)

The repayment of Deposits is secured by the Guarantee of the Public Revenue of the Colony.

Deposits are received between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m., at the following places, viz: At the Treasury, James Bay, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays; at the Post Office, Government street, on Tuesdays and Fridays.

A BRANCH SAVINGS BANK will be opened for the transaction of business at the Treasury buildings, New Westminster, on Tuesday next, the 6th of July; and at other places in the Colony as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made.

By order of the Commissioners, Victoria, B. C., June 22nd, 1869.

J. L. GRAHAM, In Charge.

TWIN OAK FARM TO BE LET OR LEASED.

THIS WELL KNOWN & PRODUCTIVE tract of land in the vicinity of Victoria, situated about 1 1/2 miles from town, is offered to let or lease. The Farm contains about 120 acres, more or less of which about 40 acres are under cultivation and bearing a good crop of barley, oats, peas and timothy. There are two dwelling houses, commodious barns, stables and out-houses. A good Orchard of various fruit trees adjoins the house.

This desirable property will be let, with this year's crop thereon, for a term of years, at a reasonable rate, the privilege of purchase during the term of the lease.

The Farming Implements complete, a yoke of Oxen, Team, &c. can be bought at private sale if desired. For particulars, inquire of

LD LOWENBERG, Government st.

LADIES' REPOSITORY.

Mrs. McGee, Fort Street near Broad, Victoria, B. C.

BEGS TO INFORM THE LADIES OF Victoria that she intends to keep a Stock of Ladies' and Children's Goods in Great Variety.

Latest Styles of Boys and Infants Hats and Caps by Miss E. P. McGee.

SEWING MACHINE WORK DONE. Stamping, Binding and Embroidering neatly executed. She trusts to receive a share of Public Favor.

Municipal Notice. Sidewalks.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT in good repair and property and, down on THURSDAY NEXT, the 8th of July inst.

June 26th, 1869. W. LEIGH, C. M. O.

Fairfield Academy. BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.

MADAME PETIBEAU INFORMS HER PUPILS that the Studies will be resumed on THURSDAY NEXT, the 8th of July inst.



**THE BRITISH COLONIST.**  
Thursday Morning, July 8, 1869.  
**Shipping Intelligence.**  
PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.  
ENTERED  
July 7.—Stmr Wilson G Hunt, Wm. P. Townsend  
Stmr E. Anderson, Finch, Pt Townsend  
Schr Black Diamond, Ketchikan, Nootka  
CLEARED  
July 7.—Stmr E. Anderson, Finch, Pt Townsend  
Stmr W. G. Hunt, Wm. P. Townsend  
Schr Black Diamond, Ketchikan, Nootka  
DEPARTS  
In this city, July 7, the wife of Mr D. W. Higgins, of a daughter.  
DEATHS  
Accidentally drowned at Quatsnooth, on the 18th June, Annie, wife of Joseph J. Senay, of Soda Creek, British Columbia.  
Stockton, Cal., papers please copy

**THE EXCURSION TO PUGET SOUND.**—The Puget Sound steamers returned with the pleasure-seekers yesterday. We glean the following from one of them. At Olympia the thunder of cannon commenced at early morn; afterwards a grand procession was formed, the most attractive feature of which was a charming phalanx of 32 young ladies, each carrying a banner upon which was inscribed the name of a State in the Union. This bewitching battalion stopped at the Pavilion and sang "Marching through Georgia." The firemen showed their prowess with the engine, and then in order to convince the people they were not the terrible fellows some folks might think, they gave a Ball at which between 300 and 400 assid. Our informant says the ladies were strongly represented. The Ball was given by Columbia Co. No. 1. During the evening there was a grand display of fireworks. The people of Seattle our informant thinks are of a serious turn of mind, and pave their streets with sawdust in order to prevent their thoughts being disturbed. Our band did excellent service, exercising a sort of magic influence on the people wherever they went; for, no sooner did they appear than dancing commenced. They took a trip up to Tumwater with a long train of boats and great enjoyment resulted. When the Hunt was at Port Townsend some impression arose (probably suggested by some fair resident of that famous town) that it would be too rough to cross the Gulf on Tuesday evening, whereupon (our gallant Victorians being nothing loth) a Ball was improvised and the dancing was kept up with spirit until the sad moment for parting arrived. The woods are on fire from Port Townsend to Olympia. Everywhere on the road the reception extended to our citizens was hospitable, and the enjoyment unbounded. The Fourth of July oration by Mr. Mitchell was an eloquent effort, the orator being frequently interrupted by applause. The excursionists all speak in the highest terms of the manner in which they were treated by the townspeople on the Sound, and of the kindness of the Captains and officers of the Wilson G Hunt and Eliza Anderson in giving up their State rooms and incommode themselves in other respects to render the passengers comfortable.

**PUGET SOUND ITEMS.**—Business on the Sound is very lively. At Port Gamble there were two foreign vessels loading for Chili, and the Guiding Star loading for Australia. At Port Madison the Tidal Wave was taking in lumber for San Francisco, and at Oakland the W. H. Gawley was loading for the same destination. There was a ship and a schooner being built at Oakland. At Seattle the Marmion was loading for San Francisco. An Italian met with some curious Indians who desired to study his phonological developments, and removed his scalp for that purpose; the Italian thought they were rude.

**FROM THE MAINLAND.**—The steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster at half past four o'clock yesterday afternoon, bringing Messrs. P. Fitterer and Moutet, four or five other passengers, and a Cariboo Mail and Express. (The drought prevails on William Creek and only a few claims continue at work; these, however, are taking out large amounts of gold. The crops in the upper country look discouraging. Salmon is very plentiful at New Westminster and cheap—sixteen whoppers being sold for one dollar.

**FROM PERRY CREEK MINES.**—The Walla Walla Union says: "Wm. Stephens is just down from Perry Creek and the mines in that locality. The particulars he had not learned when he left Colville, but a party of the citizens, headed by Mr. Oppenheimer, who are accustomed to mining rumors and not easily carried away, have confidence enough in this one to start on a prospecting tour. They were to leave Colville on Tuesday last.

**FIREMEN'S PIC NIC.**—At a preliminary meeting of the officers of the Fire Department last evening, it was determined that the 24th inst. should be the day on which the picnic for the benefit of the Charitable Fund of the Fire Department shall be held. The ground and other details will be fixed upon at a future meeting.

**AMONG THE PASSENGERS** returning by the Wilson G. Hunt, we observe the familiar faces of Mr James Moore, and Mr John Adair. Mr Moore, who has been absent many years, returns to resume his profession of druggist. Mr John Adair has been to White Pine where he saw the great inland serpent.

**VICTORIA HOUSE.**—Just received by Express the New and Elegant Lace Searle, (Garde Francaise, Chevreuse and Incomparable), Real Lace Shawls, Irish Poplins, Glace Silks, Satins, Ribbons, Trimmings, Buttons, Flowers, Trimmed Sets, Lace Fairs, Silk Serges, New Dress Materials, and a variety of Fancy Goods; also a complete assortment of Ladies' Skirts and underclothing.

**GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN NOT COMING.**—Mr. Train, it appears, is not going to take British Columbia after all his talk because the country is not worth taking. He went to Portland, he remarked to an Irish serenading party a few nights ago, to complete an organization with which to go over and capture British Columbia; but since his arrival here he had learned enough of the country over there to satisfy him that its capture was not worth while, and he had accordingly sent the following dispatch to his Irish friends at San Francisco.

**VANCOUVER, June 28.**  
Commander Fenian Expedition San Francisco: Notify Fenian Expedition, British Columbia played out—treasury bankrupt—country depopulated—mines failed—people demoralized—property worthless—boney-bees gone; drones remain—dead boat—not worth taking—perfect representative of home government.

**GEO. FRANCIS TRAIN.**  
The reading of the dispatch was received with great laughter and cheers. Before closing, Mr. Train called for three cheers for Ireland and the Irish people—given with a will. Then three cheers for the American Union—given enthusiastically. Then three groans for John Bull—responded with three deep, terrible groans, and laughter.

**LAUNCH OF "THE BRUNETTE."**—The racing gig "Brunette," built by Mr. John Murray of the Camp, Sapperton, is a perfect model of beauty and symmetry. She is a four-oared outrigger; forty-three feet long; built of the native white cedar, and is owned by some of the leading gentlemen of New Westminster. On Monday morning, the 5th inst., her owners assembled at Murray's building-shed, and having carried her in triumph to the Leithian pier, launched her into the waters of the Brunette, from which stream she derives her name. The usual ceremony of "naming" was performed by Miss Woods, who having broken the bottle of champagne upon her bow, wished that "The Brunette" may be first in every race she contests." It is intended, so soon as the crew shall have made the necessary arrangements, to challenge the boating men of Victoria to a contest and we hope to see a little friendly rivalry between the two towns both as to which can build the best boat, and pull her best when built.

**THE BARCLAY SOUND MURDERERS.**—WRIT OF ERROR APPLIED FOR AND REFUSED.—Yesterday Mr. Wood, Counsel for the Barclay Sound Indians now under sentence of death for murder, applied to the Chief Justice for a writ of error to be argued before Chief Justice Begbie, founding his application upon the facts that the first jury empanelled were allowed to go at large without finding a verdict; that the Assize were adjourned for a lengthened period instead of from day to day; that an irregular question was asked Dr. Comrie, one of the witnesses. The Chief Justice declined to hear the application, saying he understood very well the motives which actuated it, and that he had lived sufficiently long in Vancouver Island to understand the people thoroughly. Mr. Wood excepted to the remark of the Chief Justice relative to the motives which actuated him, and withdrew. It is a source of deep regret to all that there is not in this Colony a Court of Appeal. The evil is one that Confederation will cure.

**THE SEATTLE INTELLIGENCER** learns that between Olympia and Portland the woods are on fire, and it is impossible to keep up any telegraphic communication. On Saturday day evening, at 9 o'clock, the stage, which was due at Olympia at 5, had only reached Skookum Chuck, owing to the bridges being burned and the road obstructed by fallen timber.

**THE SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE** is authority for the statement that a volunteer force of citizens is organizing there for the protection hereafter of Chinese immigrants on their landing and through the streets to their quarters. This step has been made necessary by the persistence of white ruffians and bullies in mobbing together and attacking the Chinese.

**THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. J. J. BROWN** took place yesterday and was attended by a large number of our most respectable citizens. The services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Russ, and a touching address was given by the Rev. Mr. Southerly at the grave. Mr. Brown was greatly respected and is deeply regretted by a large circle of friends.

**THE "WESTERN STAR."**—Such is the title of a new paper that is to appear shortly in the horizon of Steilacoom, W. T. The prospectus announces that the Star will be independent. The Editor will be Mr. J. L. Allison.

**THE SEATTLE INTELLIGENCER** says that the vein of coal on the Stillingham's (what a jab-breaker!) is being opened up by Jimmy Jones. The coal is spoken highly of by judges.

**THE WIRE** worked to Seattle for a short time yesterday afternoon and private dispatches came through, the messages being carried from Olympia to Seattle by steamer.

**THE STEAMER FIDELITY** is fully due at this port. She sailed from San Francisco for Sitka via Portland and Victoria, on the 26th ult.

**IN SOME PARTS OF CALIFORNIA AND OREGON** the crops will not pay for harvesting. Grain must go up in price.

**THE EARLY CROPS** in the adjoining districts are coming on finely; but those planted late in the Spring will in many instances fail.

**A DRIVER** was fined \$5 yesterday for driving fast over Rock Bay bridge.

**Rumored Confession.**  
It was rumored last night that John, one of the Barclay Sound Indians under sentence of death for the massacre of the John Brigh's people, yesterday made a full confession, implicating his chief and nearly all the tribe in the murders. He says that five people came ashore alive and pitched a tent on the beach; that the Indians stole upon and murdered them all by command of the chief; that he (John) tried to save the woman, but she was torn from him and killed with the four men.

**OUR FRENCH VISITORS.**—A steam launch from the Astree, the French ship-of-war, towed a boat in which were Admiral Cloué and a number of the officers of the French vessels now at Esquimaux to Lachapelle's landing yesterday, where they were received by D. C. Maunsell, Esq., who conducted them to the Government Buildings, where the usual courtesies were exchanged with the Administrator. Earlier in the day the Administrator visited the Astree and was received with a royal salute. Salutes between the Satellite and the Astree were also exchanged. The officers belonging to the Astree and the Pique yesterday occupied themselves in visiting the various points of interest in this city. We trust that everything will be done during their stay here to render the visit agreeable. We learn that Admiral Cloué contemplates a visit to Sitka in the Pique leaving the flagstaff at Esquimaux.

**CAPT. TITCOMB'S FUNERAL.**—The funeral of the late Captain John Titcomb took place yesterday from the Lodge Room of the I. O. O. F. The cortege was formed by the Brethren with their insignia, the Volunteer Band leading, playing in solemn strains the Dead March in Saul. There were about 200 in the procession, 90 of whom were members of the Lodge. On arriving at the Cemetery the Noble Grand, J. Gillon, Esq., read the service; and after singing the Funeral Ode the Chaplain of the Society, Rev. Mr. Somerville, closed the ceremony with prayer. The Brethren then reformed and returned to the Lodge room, where they separated. The whole of the ceremonies were conducted with great solemnity, evincing high respect for the deceased.

**IT WAS REPORTED** that a steamer left Port last evening for Victoria.

**The Agricultural and Horticultural Society.**

**EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.**—I would suggest to the Committee of the Agricultural Society that the show should take place in the lot adjoining Jay's Nursery where the Caledonian Celebration was held. I think it in all respects the most eligible place for the purpose, and that the Committee would do well to have the platform, stand, etc. left for use on the 29th Sept. that the show might close with a dance, thus adding materially to its ordinary attraction.

**Yours,**  
**AN INTENDING EXHIBITOR.**

**DELAYED DISPATCHES.**

**Eastern States.**

**MEMPHIS, June 30.**—A tornado passed over this city at 4 o'clock this evening, accompanied by hail and terrible rain, breaking the awnings and uprooting shade trees. A steamer lying at the wharf had her chimneys blown down. A great portion was carried for twenty yards up the levee, over the tops of the highest blocks in the city. No lives were lost as is known, but it is feared the destruction of property and crops has been very heavy.

**RICHLAND, June 30.**—Last night, in Petersburg, Van Wyck of New York addressed a Republican meeting. Conservatives present called for a division of time, and this not being allowed by the next Radical speaker, it was decided by a call for Conservative speaker. The negroes formed in a body and charged upon the whites, driving them away with bricks and chasing them through the streets. Nobody was seriously injured.

**General Dix** is reported as saying that President Grant has fallen at last into the hands of politicians, and though he may mean well, he can't resist the influences round him. His appointments have been disappointments, and unless he retrieves himself his ruin will be accomplished.

**Six hundred thousand dollars of the bonds** stolen from the Ocean Bank was found this morning in a small trunk on the sidewalk of Elizabeth street by the police.

**It has leaked out** that about \$5,000,000 of greenbacks are locked up for the purpose of affecting prices generally.

**The Cuban expedition** ignominiously failed three tug boats with over 200 men being captured in Long Island Sound. Two members of the Cuban Junta were among the passengers. Col. Ryan and Gen. Spear, with their respective commands were not captured. They are supposed to be scattered about Long Island and Connecticut shores. The men are almost exhausted from cold and hunger, having been without food since Sunday and exposed on the open decks to the storm. The prisoners are now receiving Government rations on the receiving ship Vermont.

**RICHLAND, Va., June 26.**—J. Kelly, who was shot on Thursday evening by Capt. Callahan, died this morning. His death bore a much feeling he having been held by three policemen while Callahan, who had a personal feud with him, shot him. Callahan, who was under bail, has been arrested.

**RICHLAND, June 29.**—Yesterday at two o'clock two colored women fought a duel with clubs, seconds being present. One was so badly hurt that she died on the field. Jealousy was the cause.

**CHICAGO, June 30.**—Some friends of Andrew Johnson are endeavoring to arrange for a serenade, so as to give him an opportunity to make a speech, but nobody has been found to subscribe.

**Letters have been received from London** which state that the party of English emigrants to Cornell University, who were recently received at a public breakfast presided over by Lord Houghton, sailed for New York on the 20th. The movement under which they are emigrating was first suggested to Professor Goldwin Smith by Cornell himself. Auburn Herrell, a well known Liberal, had charge of the movement. The young men were selected from different

branches of the building trades, and will be employed in the instruction of these undergraduates who desire to obtain a practical knowledge of trades in the construction of the University buildings.  
The President and Cabinet are a unit in the opinion that our neutrality laws must be enforced and the whole power of the Administration be used in sustaining the local officers whose business it is to carry out the law.  
St. Louis, June 20.—Governor McOlurg has authorized a special armed force to search for and arrest the notorious desperado and murderer, Sam Hildebrand, at San Francisco county. He offers a reward of \$10,000 for his arrest.

**Europe.**  
PARIS, June 26.—M. Schneider today resigned the presidency of the Corps Legislatif in consequence of the indecorum of M. Drouot, one of the Vice Presidents. The Emperor refused to accept his resignation.  
Henri Rochfort, editor of La Lanterne, has been convicted to the charge of illegally introduced his journal into France and sentenced to three years imprisonment and a fine of three thousand francs. To these penalties are added a forfeiture of his right of citizenship for three years including the right to vote in any election or occupy a seat in the Corps Legislatif.

Samonson and J. urdan, editors of the Siecle, have been fined 500 francs each.  
The editor of the Opinion Nationale has been condemned to three months imprisonment. All of these three for violation of the press laws.  
The session of the Corps Legislatif opened today. The Emperor was not present. The Minister of State made the opening speech. He said the Chamber was convened to verify its authority. The renewal of the Corps Legislatif by universal suffrage afforded a natural opportunity for the nation to express its thoughts, aspirations and wants, but political results and manifestations should not be precipitated. Government would present resolutions and projects of law in order to realize the wishes of the people.

**Canada.**  
MONTREAL, June 29.—Jos Arnold, champion of England, challenges any man in America to fight in Canada for \$5,000.  
OTTAWA, Canada, June 30.—The Privy Council met yesterday. It is understood arrangements were made relative to opening the road to the Northwest. It is reported that John Rose will proceed to Washington on the 18th of July to negotiate a reciprocity treaty.  
A hail storm at Woodstock on Monday showered stones from five to eight inches in diameter. Great damage was done.

**Cariboo Mining Summary.**  
[From the Cariboo Sentinel, June 30.]  
**MINING INTELLIGENCE.**  
WILLIAM CREEK.  
Except the San Juan co. none of the hydraulic companies are piping. The flame co. have commenced cleaning up and yesterday washed up 1000z. The Columbia co. got 40 oz last week, and the San Francisco co 45 z. The Cornish co washed up 90 z.

Below the canyon—the Barker co washed up 178 z for the week; the Foster-Campbell co 135oz, and the Canadian co 26oz.

**STOUT GULCH.**  
The Taffvale co washed up 125oz for the week. The wash-up of the Columbia co at the end of the week yielded 210 z, which made over 160 z for the week. The Floyd co's ground maintains its late high yield, giving 90oz to the last wash-up, which makes the total for the week 192oz.

**CONKLIN GULCH.**  
In the early part of last week the Fels co only washed up a couple of ounces, but they got into the channel again and washed up about 17 z for the week.

**FRENCH CREEK.**  
The Ambrose co. have been drowned out of their shaft after getting down 120 feet. They intend to run a tunnel for drainage.

**LOWEY CREEK.**  
The Black Bull co. have made a contract for the completion of their tunnel. The Victoria co. are driving ahead with their tunnel at the rate of 45 feet per week. The Kelly co. cleaned up 30 oz. for the week. Boyd is working in his tunnel, making wages. The Calaveras co. broke the shaft of their wheel last week.

**MO-QUITO CREEK.**  
The Minnehaha co. washed up 75 z for the week; and the Tabb co. declared a dividend of 3 z to the interest from the wash up for the week. The Discovery co. have completed their tunnel, and from the first set of timbers took out 11 oz. The Willow co. made a little over wages for the week; and the Holman co. declared a dividend of \$73 to the interest. The Jeffries co made wages; and Hocking co made \$12 a day to the land during the week.

**RED GULCH.**  
The Tom and Jerry co. washed up 26 oz for the week, and the Butcher co made small wages.

**WHIPSAW GULCH.**  
The Discovery co did very little work during the week. The Hit or-Miss co made about \$5 a day to the land.

**GROUSE CREEK.**  
Opera ins on Grouse Creek are using a dull appearance. There is not enough water to keep the hydraulics claims in activity, and ground sluicing is the only kind of mining likely to give any returns until a fresh supply of water shall be obtained. Very little is being done by the Fountain Head Co. The Hacho co are prospecting in the creek. The Rocky Point co have commenced clearing up and are doing pretty well. The Ontario, Cascade and Caroline co are sort of water. The Salspring co are preparing to drift in the upper part of their ground. The Waverly tunnel is going about.

**REGGS GULCH.**  
The Grappler co are making wages. A company have commenced to work the ground abandoned by the American Bridge company. The other company on the gulch are doing well.

**ANTLER CREEK.**  
A company has been organized to prospect Antler creek, about two miles below the old town. It is intended to run a drain tunnel to bed-rock. Prospects were found in the ground in 1862, but it was then abandoned on account of the excitement on William creek. The Middlesex co are troubled with water in their shaft. Eight miles below Grouse creek, one man, working alone, has been making \$5 a day in shallow diggings. There is plenty of water in this creek, and nearly all the companies are ground-sludging.

**ANDERSON CREEK.**  
The Emily co have washed up 7 oz minus \$1, for two months' ground sluicing.

**GRITHELY CREEK.**  
The Grotto co are making over wages, and

the Howick co. are making about \$5 a day to the hand. The Cascade co have got through the bed-rock and expect to reach their shaft in about two weeks. The Stonewall co have got on to pay again. A new company are starting in to prospect between the Hard-up and the Stonewall.  
[From the Sentinel, June 20.]  
WILLIAM CREEK.

On Thursday the Canadian co washed up 13 oz; the Foster-Campbell 44 oz; and the Barker 73 oz.

**STOUT GULCH.**  
Only three picks are at work in the Floyd claim, but they gave a good account in the wash-up on Thursday, when 70 oz were obtained. In the Taffvale claim some excellent pay has been found where it was supposed there would be little or none, and 95 oz were washed up on Wednesday. At the wash-up of the Coombs co on the same day, 94 oz were obtained.

**MO-QUITO GULCH.**  
The Minnehaha company washed up 75 oz on Wednesday for three days' work, having got into better pay than during the previous week.

**RED GULCH.**  
A good streak of pay ground has been discovered in the Tom and Jerry claim, and from one set of timbers 11½ oz were taken early this week.

**LIGHTNING CREEK.**  
The excitement about Lightning creek has cooled off considerably through the delay necessary to prospect the new ground where the rich prospects were obtained. All we can say of the Dunbar co, up to Thursday, is that they were washing, and that the ground was prospecting well. In our next issue we may be able to chronicle the result of a wash-up.

**NELSON CREEK.**  
The Delatre company are making small wages. Dominic company have washed up about 25 oz.

**ANDERSON CREEK.**  
Wisconsin co. washed up 35 oz for the week. Warren & co are down about thirty-five feet with their shaft, and have struck water.

**MI-CELLANEOUS ITEMS.**  
Flour—Exira, on the creek is 14@16c. Flour—Oscar the ferryman at Quatsnooth is dead....Rev. Mr. Derrick's Wesleyan Church has been dedicated....The new and spacious Masonic Hall was duly consecrated to the objects of the order on the 24th ult....Rev. Mr. Reynard of the Episcopal Church Mission is asking aid.

**Lumley Franklin,**  
AUCTIONEER, COMMISSION & REAL ESTATE AGENT  
BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS taken the Fireproof Brick Building in Yates street, nearly opposite Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office. Having had sixteen years' experience in the auction business, he respectfully solicits a renewal of public support.

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On Thursday, July 8,  
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No name—4 bags  
James Mitchell—1 bag  
No name—1 bag  
S. H. O'Gally—1 box  
J D—1 box  
J Sanders—1 box  
Kennedy—2 boxes  
John Slater—1 box  
Alvarts—1 box  
No name—1 box  
No name—1 box  
No name—1 leather box  
No name—1 bundle  
No name—1 case  
B V Weeks—1 case

Also—  
A lot of Books  
— ALSO —  
A lot of empty Oil Casks

**Growing Crops.**  
A fine crop of Oats, nearly ripe, on the five acre lot adjoining the grounds where the Caledonian Pic Nic was held on Cook st.

— ALSO —  
Growing crop on the 12 acres next to the residence of Mr Carr, near Beacon Hill, consisting of  
5 acres of Oats and the remainder Grass, with volunteer crop of Oats, &c.

**LUMLEY FRANKLIN,**  
Auctioneer.  
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Brass Beer Taps and Hose Cocks  
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The "P. S. Bartlett" movement, with extra Jewels, Chronometer Balance, Patent Dust Cap, Patent Safety Pinion, and all other late improvements, in a solid 3 oz. Coin Silver Hunting Case, with Gold Joints, \$47 coin. The same in 4 oz. case, \$50. In 5 oz. case, \$53 coin.

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By order of the Board of Management,  
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H. GASTON, Secretary.  
Victoria, June 26th, 1869.



